



Joan Paradise

July 25, 1957 - November 20, 2019

Joan Paradise, age 62, of Storm Lake, Iowa died on Wednesday, November 20, 2019 at the University of Nebraska Medical Center in Omaha, Nebraska.

Memorial services will be held on Sunday, November 24, 2019 at 1:30 p.m. at the Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in STORM LAKE. Visitation will take place one hour prior to the service at the funeral home. The Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in Storm Lake is in charge of the arrangements.

Joan Paradise was born July 25, 1957 in Mount Ayr, Iowa the daughter of John and Mary (Dayton) Paradise.

As an infant, Joan was baptized at the Methodist Church in Nemaha, Nebraska.

Growing up, she attended grade school at West School and later graduated from Storm Lake High School in 1975. Following high school graduation, Joan attended the University of Kansas for two years.

Throughout Joan's life, music was a very important aspect. She had a beautiful voice and sang at many weddings. Joan also enjoyed cooking. Her nephews and great nephews looked forward to holidays when Joan would bake some wonderful treats. Family was important to Joan and she will be

deeply missed by all who knew and loved her.

Those left to cherish her memory include her son, Dayton Stillwagon of Midland, Michigan; sister, Judy (Robert) Halder of Storm Lake, Iowa; nephews: Scott Halder of Olympia, Washington; Shawn Halder of Spencer, Iowa; three great nephews: Dylan, Parker and Jordan; great niece, Ashley; great great nephew, Bentley; extended family and many friends.

Joan was preceded in death by her parents: John and Mary Paradise.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **24**. 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Joan Paradise*



Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home - November 22, 2019 at 12:24 PM

SB

*Neighborhood friends from our childhood.
She looks the same as I remember her.
A good forgiving friend as I
Stole her lipstick but brought it back after my mom prayed with me. She was a kind person. Had lots of barbie dolls we played with.
I thought she was Rich cuz her dad was a pharmacist in their drug store.
Lots of samples . That's were the lipstick came from that I loved and wanted cuz of the gold and pink "London" lipstick cover.
I love Joanie.
Just learn gratefully of your
news. God bless your soul that I am reminded of God' s goodness in bring us together in our innocent days.
Thank you for your help and love. May you rest in peace and God willing meet again in our Father's house.
My thoughts with all who grieve from her death but not without hope.
Peace,
Sue Ellen Bonham*

Sue Ellen Bonham - November 30, 2019 at 06:29 PM

AU

“ I first remember Joan as a baby standing in her crib in Lamoni with spiked baby hair and a grin. Holidays as kids with John and Mary, Judy and Joan and Gramps are good memories. Joan had a beautiful voice and loved to sing. She sang at my wedding and did such a beautiful job. Judy and Joan always loved their kitties. I remember when one went missing in Ottumwa and how gramps sent it back! Joan loved fashion and she helped me pick out one of my favorite dresses years ago. Joan’s laugh was infectious and she had a wonderful heart.

Ann Unanue - December 22, 2019 at 08:20 AM

SY

“ Recently saw Fiddler on the Roof movie....again...and it always reminds me of the High School production, and Joan.

Susan Jo Young - November 29, 2019 at 10:00 PM

Terra Sheehan-Sievers

“ I had the privilege to work with Joanie, at Mrs. Mom's years ago, I've never seen her without a smile, never heard her complain when it was overwhelmingly busy at the café, and what a cook! She will be forever missed. Terra Sievers



Terra Sheehan-Sievers - November 28, 2019 at 02:16 PM

NL

“ Joan was a beautiful lady, inside and out. So enjoyed our appointment times together and her laughter! My sympathies to her family. I will miss her.



Nancy Lenhart - November 24, 2019 at 10:21 AM

SD

“ *Joanie was a very special woman. She lived in the same building in which my mom and sister did, and I appreciate the friendship she offered them. In her quiet way, she affected many folks with her kindness and support. Many friends not only enjoyed her cooking, but also the touch of class and creativity she brought to many little things she did. It's our loss, Joanie, to find you gone so soon. Heaven's gain.*
— Sandy D.



Sandra A. Demers - November 23, 2019 at 10:30 PM

BL

“ *Judy and family, I was so sorry to learn of Joan's passing. I remember first meeting Joan, when we were small children, in Sunday school at the United Methodist Church in Storm Lake. We were good friends from our first year in junior high all the way through our college years at KU. We even had the additional enjoyment of working together, at Fairway, when we were in high school. I will always remember Joan for her wonderfully infectious laugh, enthusiasm for life, passion for music and great love for family. May she rest in peace. Bruce Larsen*

Bruce Larsen - November 23, 2019 at 03:25 PM

TS

“ *I have thought of you many time and always hoped for the best. The Lord said it was time for you to come home.....I will always remember you....God Bless you...Tom Sabel*

Tom Sabel - November 22, 2019 at 07:53 PM



“ 20 files added to the album Life Tributes



Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home - November 22, 2019 at 12:19 PM



“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Homes - November 22, 2019 at 11:47 AM



“ Joan has been in our Bible study for 4 years. She always made delicious treats for us to enjoy. She talked often of her love for the Lord... janeen hogrefe

Janeen hogrefe - November 22, 2019 at 08:57 AM

PC

“ *Joan was always ready with a sweet smile....she smiled "with her eyes"....she was a very kind person who always had "time" for everyone. We're very sorry she was taken from you so young....God Bless Joan Tim and Pegi Cavanaugh*

Pegi Cavanaugh - November 22, 2019 at 08:41 AM

MF

“ *Mary Farrell lit a candle in memory of Joan Paradise*



Mary Farrell - November 21, 2019 at 06:40 PM

PG

“ *SO SORRY TO HEAR OF JOAN'S PASSING. SHE IS IN A BETTER PLACE WITH GOD. OUR HEARTFELT SYMPATHY TO YOU, JUDY & BOB. WE HAVE YOU IN OUR PRAYERS & WILL CONTINUE. PRAYERS FOR BOB & HIS HEALTH ISSUES.. GOD BLESS YOU & ALL YOUR FAMILIES. MAY JOAN RIP.*



LARY & PATTY GUNVILLE

PATTY GUNVILLE - November 21, 2019 at 06:38 PM

JO

“ Jeff & Marjean O'Bannon lit a candle in memory of Joan Paradise



Jeff & Marjean O'Bannon - November 21, 2019 at 06:03 PM

CR

“ Connie Roche sent a virtual gift in memory of Joan Paradise



connie roche - November 21, 2019 at 05:54 PM

SM

“ Steph/Sharon Mickelson lit a candle in memory of Joan Paradise



Steph/Sharon Mickelson - November 21, 2019 at 05:41 PM